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COMPRISING A PARTIALLY VULCANIZED RUBBER CONCENTRATE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment minus highest number 27 \$50.00 (1202)/\$25.00 (2202) \$ 50.00 x \$50.00 previously paid for 26 (at least 20) =Independent claims after amendment 2 minus highest number \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ previously paid for x \$200.00 (at least 3) =3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) Five Month Extensions \$2160.00 (1255/\$1080.00 (2255) \$ 450.00 \$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add Statement filed herewith Applicant claims "small entity" status. Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) \$ 0.00 0.00 \$40.00 (8021) \$ Assignment Recording Fee

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated February 16, 2007, petition being hereby made for a time extension of two (2) months, up to and including July 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as noted in the following sections.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.121, each section of the subject Amendment (e.g., Claim Amendments, Specification Amendments, Drawing Amendments and Remarks) as may be appropriate to the issues raised in the Official Action to which this paper responds, begins on a separate page. Changes to the original text, claims and the like are shown by striking through language to be deleted and underlining of language to be added.

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